

FEW DISEASED TREES ADMITTED

Nursery Stock Received in Arizona Almost Free From Insect Pests.

Phoenix, Ariz., June 8.—Only 2.4 percent of the nursery stock imported into Arizona during the last fiscal year was infested with scale and insect pests, according to the seventh annual report of the commission of agriculture and horticulture, and the state entomologist, just issued.

"Under present conditions this branch of the service (inspection) has about reached its maximum efficiency," says the commission. "With a slight additional amount of money it would be possible to improve the inspection service considerably by providing for a traveling inspector whose duty it would be to visit and inspect various quarantine inspectors at their isolated stations throughout the state."

Imports Increase 47 Percent.
Entomologist A. W. Merrill reports that the amount of nursery stock imported into the state increased 47 percent over the previous fiscal year. Shipments of nursery stock into the state of Arizona originated in 20 states and came from 290 nurseries and florists. One hundred and forty-eight of these shippers were located in California, while Texas ranks second in this respect with 15.

The total number of trees and vines imported was 212,936. It is estimated 163,390 trees and vines were sold by Arizona nurseries. Arizona nurserymen imported 60,500 rooted olive tips and 212,932 grape cuttings.

Crown Gall Root Prevalent.
In regard to pests the entomologist reports:

"Crown gall continues to be found more frequently in plant shipments than all other insect and plant diseases troubles combined. Root knot continues to hold second rank in this respect. Crown gall was found by the inspectors in 2.9 percent of all shipments during the past fiscal year, as compared with 2.4 percent during the preceding year. Root knot was found in only 0.4 percent, as compared with 0.95 percent during the preceding year. Insect and red spider pests were found in only 0.9 percent of all shipments as compared with 1.1 percent during the preceding fiscal year."

SALT RIVER CANTALOUPE CROP IS A WEEK LATE

Phoenix, Ariz., June 8.—The Salt River valley's cantaloupe crop, which usually begins to move eastward in carload lots between July 1 and 5, will be a week to 10 days late this year, owing to unusually cool weather throughout the spring. The vines are not nearly as large and healthy as they usually are at this season. It is probable that the crop will be small, as well as late.

J. J. SMITH EXPECTS TO GET \$12,000 FROM PEARS

J. J. Smith, the valley farmer, expects to get from \$10,000 to \$12,000 out of his pear crop this year. He expects to have 10,000 boxes of pears in his orchard and he says he has been offered \$1.25 for the pears per box and expects to get \$1.50, or this he says 40 percent in profit.

HOME GROWN WATERMELONS OFFERED ON MESA MARKET.

Mesa, Ariz., June 8.—Home grown watermelons are now being sold on the local market, a full week earlier than ever before. The price is five cents a pound.

"Human Fly" Climbs Part of McCoy Hotel; Gets \$3.81

Unable to find a safe footing on the side of the building, where the plaster had begun to crack, Bill "Satan" Weber, known as the "human fly," did not complete his climb to the roof of the McCoy hotel Wednesday afternoon. Weber, who declared that he will climb the First National bank building this afternoon, stated that he was unable to obtain a hold on the windows, due to the cracking plaster.

As he received but \$3.81 out of a crowd of several hundred people for his attempt, Weber was slightly discouraged at the sentiment of El Pasoans toward "feature climbing." He climbed to the fifth floor on the outside of the building, went from there to the top floor on the inside stairway because of the plaster, and then climbed the cornice with a knotted rope.

ROSE PETALS ARE SHOWERED UPON PARADISERS IN PORTLAND

Portland, Ore., June 8.—Rose garlanded automobiles, vehicles, pony carts and floats of every description formed the greatest floral display in the history of the Portland rose festival today, when the annual floral parade passed in review through the city's streets.

As the procession passed through the downtown section, where spectators crowded every available foot of space, rose petals scattered from the tops of lofty buildings fell like tinted snowflakes upon the throngs below. Those decorations predominated in the parade, but other flowers coming from florists, shops, public and private gardens and the woods, served to lend color to the display.

MEXICANS WHO COUNT TROOPS IN PARADE GIVEN TEN DAYS

Jesus Briseno and Jose Montoya, arrested by police Wednesday morning while making tabulations on the American troops during the parade, were sentenced to serve ten days each in the city jail, Wednesday afternoon in corporation court, by Judge Paul Thomas.

The two men both stated to the court that they were employed on the Mexican side of the river as brackmen on the Mexican Central railway, but had come to El Paso to witness the parade of the troops. An envelope on which they had made a number of figures on the strength of the troops was given to Capt. James Allison, provost marshal, for an investigation. It was later destroyed.

PIONEERS TO HAVE PICNIC AT HART'S MILL SATURDAY

Pioneers of El Paso will have their annual picnic at Hart's mill Saturday beginning at 12:30. This will be the annual meeting of the El Paso Pioneers' association and will be held in the shade of the old mill, which is one of the landmarks of the city and park.

C. E. Kelly is president of the association and Arthur T. Samworth is secretary. The committee in charge of the picnic has invited the city and county officials to attend the picnic. At this picnic dinner only food that could have been bought in El Paso before 1882 will be served.

HOTEL GUEST SLEPT; POCKET ROBBED; C. KNAPP ARRESTED

Charged with taking \$50 in money from C. H. Turner in the Hotel McCoy, Charles Knapp was arrested by the police Wednesday afternoon. He is said to have entered Turner's room at the hotel while Turner was asleep and is alleged to have taken the money from the pocket of his trousers.

He has been transferred to the county court.

GAYINO MUST STAY IN JAIL ON CHARGE OF ROBBERY BY ASSAULT

Gayino Soto, who is under charge of robbery by assault on the docket of the 24th district court, will remain in the county jail, until he furnishes a bond of \$100, until the September term of court.

When the case against him was called Wednesday afternoon, his counsel announced unreadiness to proceed. Soto, it is alleged, forcibly took from Maria Aguilar, on South El Paso street, several weeks ago, a handbag containing \$18.

JURYMEN GIVEN PANOLETS.

Juryman called for the weekly panel in the 24th district court were excused until Friday morning at 9 o'clock by acting judge Walter D. Howe Wednesday afternoon.

Why don't you try the California on your next trip to the coast? Leaves 8:45 a. m.—Advertisement.

Mexican rent collections, Lee Newman. —Adv.

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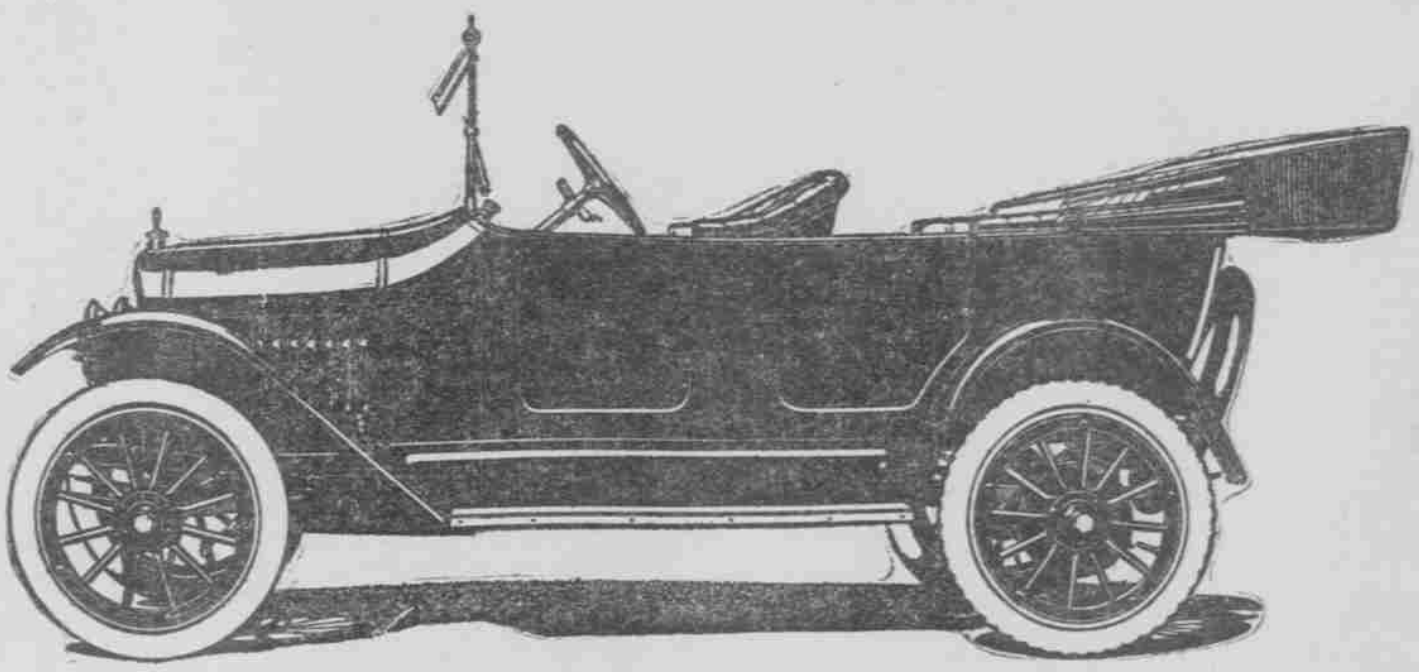
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Dr. Ebert, Dentist, 216-218 Mills Bldg.

Dr. Battle Returns to Austin.
Dr. W. J. Battle, president of the university of Texas, who has been here to inspect the Texas School of Mines, returned to Austin Wednesday.

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Louisiana Votes Down Suffrage.
Baton Rouge, La., June 8.—The Louisiana house Wednesday defeated by a vote of 60 to 43 the proposed amendment to the constitution.

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Negroes Attempt Rescue; Two Killed.
Bluefield, W. Va., June 8.—Two white men and two negroes were killed and two seriously wounded late Tuesday night at Beckley, W. Va., 50 miles from Bluefield, when a mob composed of negroes attempted to take three negro prisoners from a party of deputy sheriffs.

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